Daniel J. Moffat

(-6 Feb 1907)

Moffet. Departed this life on February 6, 1907 at 11:25 a.m., Daniel J. Moffet in his 84th year.

The veil twixt earth and heaven

A breath might lift it off.

To meet our love and longing

Thou hast no gulf to cross.

Heaven is but life made richer

There can be no loss.

Funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 454 Maryland avenue southwest at 2 p.m. Friday, February 8. Interment at Congressional Cemetery.

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Funeral of Daniel J. Moffatt

Funeral services over the remains of Daniel J. Moffatt, who died last Wednesday at noon, were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family residence, 454 Maryland avenue southwest. The deceased was eighty-four years of age. The interment was in Congressional cemetery.

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Daniel J. Moffat Dead

Passing of an Octogenarian Resident of the District

The recent death of Daniel J. Moffat at the advanced age of eighty-four years removed from active life one who had been a resident of the District of Columbia for more than half a century. The deceased belonged to a family which has been noted for its longevity, besides being distinguished for its total abstinence of the use of liquor and tobacco in any form. A brother, Rev. Addison Moffat, now residing in California, is eighty-two years of age, and another brother, Judge John A. Moffat, who resided in Wisconsin, lived to be eighty-seven years of age.

The deceased leaves a widow, two daughters and a son, who are all residents of this city. Rev. Dr. Skellinger, his pastor, officiated at the funeral service, and, in his sermon paid a glowing tribute to the worth and sterling character of the deceased. He was a man of many excellent qualities of heart and mind and will be sadly missed by the lifetime circle of friends to whom his genial, whole-souled nature had strongly endeared him.